## EXHIBIT 3

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(Defendant's Counters)	Defendant 5 Cojections	Trainer 5 response
11:20-22		
26:16-17		
26:19-27:3		
83:6-10		
96:5-6	401/403, 602, 701, 702 (The	
96:8-8	question asks Mr. Peterson's	
	opinion on whether a valve is	
	complex. That is an opinion, rather	
	than a fact. In addition, Mr.	
	Peterson's personal opinion has no	
	relevance to any of the claims or	
	defenses in this litigation.)	
109:2-4		-
112:15-19	401/403, 602, 701, 702, calls for a	
	legal conclusion (In context, it is	
	clear that Mr. Peterson was not	
	testifying based on his personal	
	knowledge. Whether shock tests	
	were performed is irrelevant to any	
	issue in this case. Similar	
	testimony related to testing will be	
	referred to throughout as "Valve	
	Testing." Mr. Peterson's personal	
	opinion on why such tests were	
	run is also irrelevant. The tests	
	were called for in a contract	
	between Boeing and Aerojet	
	Rocketdyne, and therefore, Mr.	
	Peterson's personal view cannot	
112.0 10	alter the legal basis for the testing.)	
113:8-18	401/403, 602 (Valve Testing)	
113:20-24		
114:1-1	401/402 602 701 702 11 6	
114:10-11	401/403, 602, 701, 702, calls for a	
114:13-15	legal conclusion (Valve Testing)	
118:18-23	401/403, 602, 701, 702 (Valve	
118:25-119:2	Testing)	
119:7-8		
119:10-11		
121:17-18	401/403, 802 (Valve Testing)	
121:20-22		
121:24-122:1		

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122:3-3		
134:18-22		
135:2-6		
	401/402 602 (The testimony have	
138:13-18	401/403, 602 (The testimony here	
138:20-21	was merely "That's what it looks	
138:23-23	like to me." The testimony does	
	not lay a proper foundation for the witness's knowledge and in	
	context, it is clear that the witness	
	is not testifying to fact of which he	
	knows to be true.)	
159:1-2	Knows to be true.)	
(159:14-19)		
159:10-12		
(159:14-19)		
159:20-25		
(159:14-19)		
162:17-18		
163:8-9		
163:11-12		
164:9-10	401/402 C02 (TI 1' C	
164:25-165:2	401/403, 602 (The line of	
	questioning was about Mr. Peterson's recollection of where	
	other people were during a	
	presentation. He testified "I can't tell you for sure if they were there	
	, ,	
	or not, you know, people walking in and out of the rooms, and I don't	
	keep track of them." The	
	designated question was "Do you	
	recall any of your team members	
	walking out when you were	
	presenting?" to which he answered	
	"No, I do not recall that." Because	
	he already testified that he did not	
	recall whether they were present at	
	all, the designated question is	
	misleading. Indeed, to the extent	
	that ValveTech intends to suggest	
	that his testimony establishes that	
	certain people were necessarily	
	present, that would be improper.	
165:18-22	401/403, 602 (The question was	
165:24-166:5	confusing. In addition, the	
100.2	questioning attorney did not	
	establish that Mr. Peterson was	
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(_ ************************************	involved in deciding who would	
	give a presentation, and therefore,	
	did not lay a proper foundation for	
	his testimony. There also appears	
	to be no relevance to the selection	
	of who would provide	
	presentations.)	
166:23-167:1		
100.23-107.1	401/403, 602 (The question was	
	vague as to why or how Mr. Peterson and Mr. Bleck were	
	"required to be at all the[]	
	presentations." There also appears	
	to be no relevance to whether they	
170 4 4	were so required.	
172:4-4	401, 602 (Mr. Peterson testified	
172:6-6	that he did not know. There is no	
172:8-9	relevance to having a witness	
10.1.10.5	testify that he did not know.)	
184:19-21		
185:12-14		
(185:15-186:3)		
186:9-12	401/403 (The question asked Mr.	
(185:15-186:3)	Peterson not what happened as a	
186:14-14	matter of fact, but instead to	
(185:15-186:3)	predict what would happen "if	
186:16-18	there's a change to RC7620." In	
(185:15-186:3)	addition, there does not appear to	
	be any relevance what could	
	happen if there were changes to a	
	specification.)	
187:9-11	401/403 (The question asked is	
187:13-13	whether a specification "can be	
	changed." The is no relevance to	
	whether a specification can be	
	changed.)	
188:17-21	401/403, 602 (Mr. Peterson	
188:23-25	testified "it looks like it was	
	changed." He was simply giving	
	his interpretation of a document at	
	his deposition, not testifying based	
	on his knowledge. And again,	
	whether a specification changed is	
	irrelevant.)	
200:25-201:3	401, 403, 802 (Mr. Peterson	
201:8-9	testified that he had a "vague"	
201:11-17	recollection of an email someone	
	else wrote. He specifically	
	disclaimed involvement in the	

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	underlying events, and therefore,	
	at best his testimony goes to the	
	out-of-court statement of someone	
	else.)	
226:23-24	401/403, 602, 802, assumes facts	
	not in evidence, calls for a legal	
	conclusion (The only thing	
	designated was a question. That	
	question assumes the existence of	
	a restriction that ValveTech did	
	not itself establish. In addition,	
	Mr. Peterson is not a proper	
	witness to testify regarding	
	contractual obligations as between	
	ValveTech and Aerojet	
	Rocketdyne. His actual testimony	
	also does not establish the basis	
	for his knowledge, which may	
	have been solely hearsay rather	
	than his personal knowledge.)	